IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Art Unit: 2432

Examiner: Lanier, Benjamin E.

In re the application of: Ricky Gene Braddy et al.

Application number: 10/711,731

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING

AUTHORIZED REMOTE ACCESS TO

APPLICATION SESSIONS

Attorney Docket No.: 2006579-0254 (CTX-I23)

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Dear Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Amendment and Response is filed responsive to the final Office Action dated October 20, 2008, and Advisory Action dated January 21, 2009. Applicants submit that the Response is timely filed on February 23, 2009, in view of the post-Advisory-Action 3-month date falling on Saturday, February 21, 2009. Preliminary to further examination in accordance with the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.